“USNORTHCOM 101”

Overview

- Where we've come from
- Who we are
- What we do
- What we don't do
- The way ahead
- The role you play

Where we've come from – a look back

Where we are now

The Area of Responsibility

Who's in the Area of Responsibility

Canada

United States

Mexico

Puerto Rico

Cuba

Bahamas

U.S. Virgin Islands

The AOR includes U.S. territories, island nations and European possessions. It does not include Greenland. Alaska is in the AOR. Alaskan *forces* and the State of Hawaii remain within U.S. Pacific Command's AOR.

Strategic environment has changed

Who we are - U.S. Northern Command

Gen. Eberhart

Peterson AFB

- JOINT FORCE HQ - HLS
- NORTHAF
- ARNORTH
- MARFORNORTH
- NAVNORTH
- CMOC
- ACC
- FORSCOM
- MARFORLANT
- CFFC/LANTFLT
- JOINT TASK FORCE 6
- JOINT TASK FORCE CIVIL SUPPORT

A regional unified command for homeland defense

USNORTHCOM's Mission

- **Conduct operations to deter, prevent, and defeat threats and aggression aimed at the United States, its territories, and interests within the assigned area of responsibility;**
- **As directed by the President or Secretary of Defense, provide military assistance to civil authorities including consequence management operations.**

The USNORTHCOM shield

How we fit together

FEDERAL AGENCIES

PRESIDENT

CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

THE OTHER COMBATANT COMMAN

UNITED STATES NORTHERN COMMAND

JOINT FORCE HQ HLS

CDRCMOC

CDRNORTHAF

CDRARNORTH

CDRMARFORNORTH

CDRNAVNORTH

ACC

FORSCOM

MARFORLANT

CFFC/LANTFLT

JOINT TASK FORCE CIVIL SUPPORT

JOINT TASK FORCE 6

USCG

USCG PAC AREA

USCG LANT AREA

COMMAND RELATIONSHIP

SUPPORTING/SUPPORTED RELATIONSHIP

COORDINATING RELATIONSHIP

Interagency coordination

Military

Federal (in transition)

Who-does-what – and when

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FEDERAL

STATE

LOCAL

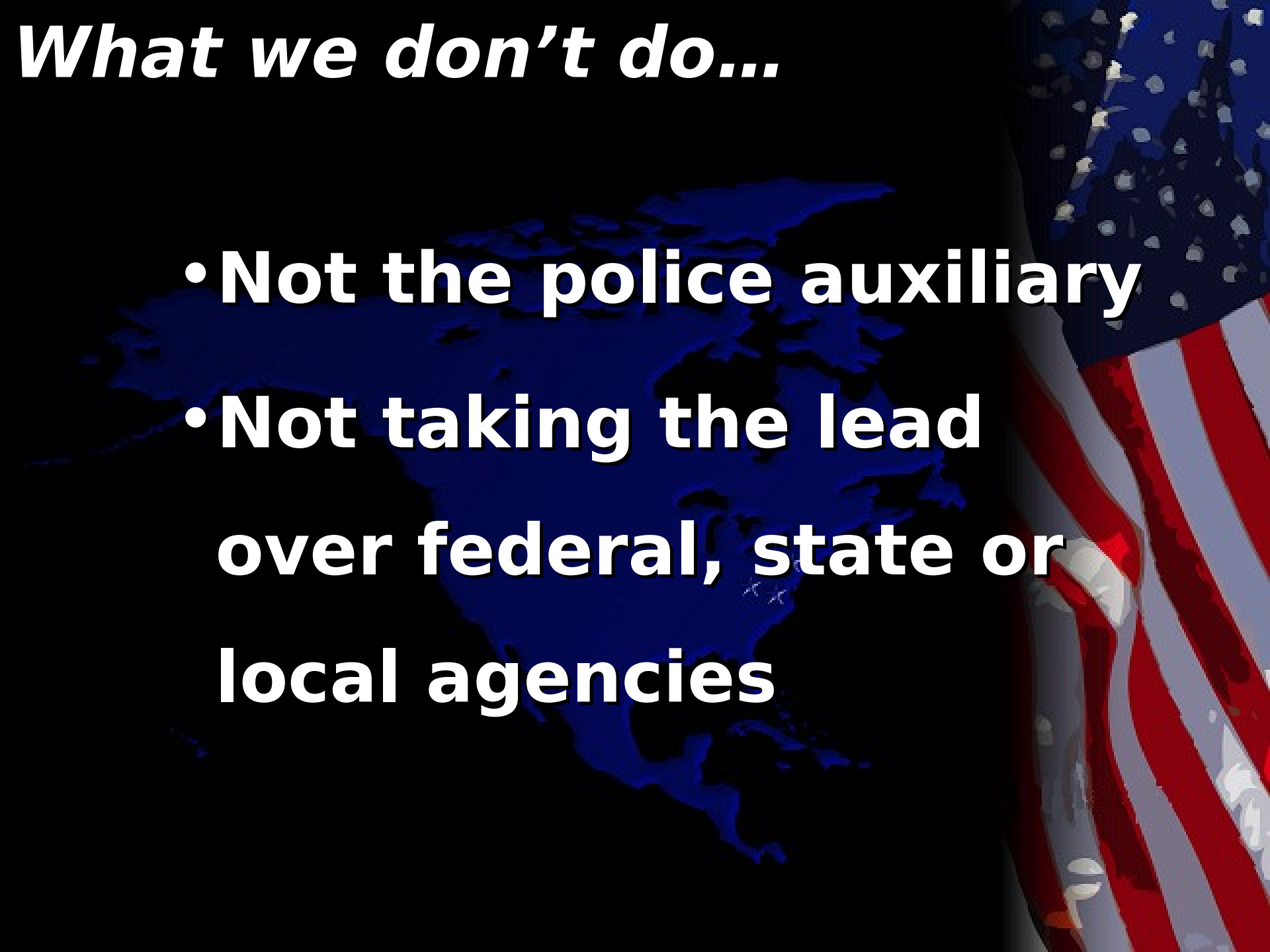
What we do…

- Regional combatant command

- Assistance to civil authorities

What we don't do…

- **Not the police auxiliary**
- **Not taking the lead over federal, state or local agencies**



Only when directed

Provide

military assistar

to civil authoriti

when requested

<u>and</u>

when directed.

Assistance to civil authorities

- **Communications**
- **Information sharing**
- **Special equipment**
- **Special skills**

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